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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

RE: In the Matter of MB Docket No. 02-230 Digital Broadcast Copy Protection

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to notify the Office of the Secretary that on October 30, 2003, Fritz Attaway of the Motion Picture Association of America accompanied by Bruce Boyden, Proskauer and Rose, counsel for MPAA, Anne Lucey of Viacom, Inc, and Rick Lane of News Corp., held an *ex parte* meeting with Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein and Johanna Mikes, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Adelstein.

The meeting covered material submitted to the FCC in Joint Comments on December 6, 2002, and Reply Comments on February 20, 2003, in the above-referenced docket. In addition, the meeting discussed points covered in the attached paper.

In accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Federal Communications Commission rules, this original and one copy are provided to your office. A copy of this notice is being delivered to the above-mentioned parties.

Sincerely,

cc: Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein

Johanna Mikes